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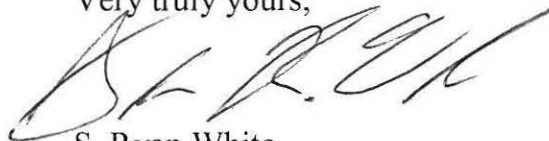
Commissioners:

I offer this letter in support of the proposed merger between AT&T and DIRECTTV.

I am informed that the merger will improve broadband access in the state of West Virginia. As a member of the Kanawha County Board of Education, it is important that our county continue to increase access to broadband so that all children within the county can be able to utilize the technology that is available for education when they are not in school.

I encourage the FCC to move expeditiously to approve this merger so these benefits can be made available to the students of Kanawha County.

Very truly yours,



S. Ryan White  
Member  
Kanawha County Board of Education